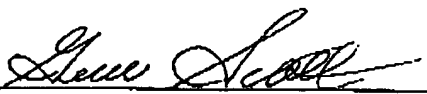


REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

1. Applicant takes notice that the Examiner has not objected to the drawings submitted with this application.
2. Claim status: claims 1-3 are pending in this application. Claim 2 contains allowable matter and is hereby cancelled in this application; claim 3 is objected to; claim 1 is rejected under 35 USC §103(a) but is herein amended to include the allowable matter of claim 2 to place it into condition for allowance. New claim 4 has been added into the application and also contains the allowable matter of claim 2 to place it into condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this application for claims 1, 3 and 4.

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